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Sandra Jensen  
Natural Resources Commission  
Indiana Government Center North, Room N501  
Indianapolis, Indiana 46204

Dear Ms. Jensen:

Pursuant to IC 4-22-2-28, the Indiana Economic Development Corporation ("IEDC") has reviewed the economic impact analysis for small business associated with rule changes contained in LSA Document 10-657 and proposed by the Indiana Natural Resources Commission ("NRC"). The proposed rule amends portions of 312 IAC 9 to change the size of catfish that can be taken in a river or stream other than the Ohio River, to establish size and bag limits for catfish taken from the Ohio River, and to establish size and bag limits for catfish for commercial fishing on the Ohio River and all inland waters.

The economic impact statement prepared by the NRC indicates that approximately 90 small businesses will be affected by the proposed rule with increased costs of \$300 per business each year due to an estimated annual loss of 10 catfish sales.

The IEDC does not object to the economic impact to small businesses associated with the proposed rule. If you have any questions about the comments contained herein please contact me at 232-8962 or [rasberry@iedc.in.gov](mailto:rasberry@iedc.in.gov).

Regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Ryan Asberry".

Ryan Asberry  
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